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SUBJECT: STATUS LONDON BANK AGREEMENT

REF: KINSHASA 1227 (NOTAL)

1. FEB 23 CITIBANK RESIDENT REP ABBOTT RELATED TO ECON COUNSELOR
STATUS OF PROPOSED PRIVATE BANK LOAN FOR ZAIRE AS FOLLOWS:

2. CITIBANK HAS OBTAINED FIRM COMMITMENTS TOTALING \$183 MILLION.
GOOD PROSPECTS FOR ADDITIONAL COMMITMENTS SHOULD RESULT IN FINAL
LOAN OF APPROX \$220 MILLION. CENTRAL BANK GOVERNOR BOFOSSA HAS
INDICATED THAT ANY AMOUNT OVER \$150 MILLION WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE
TO GOZ. BOFOSSA HOPES THAT IT WILL BE POSSIBLE TO SIGN LOAN
AGREEMENT MARCH 10 BUT ABBOTT REGARDS THIS AS UNLIKELY IN VIEW
OF OUTSTANDING TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS SUCH AS APPROVAL OF FINAL
LOAN AGREEMENT BY LAWYERS FOR THE GOZ AND THE BANKS. FINALLY,
ABBOTT AGAIN EMPHASIZED THAT DISBURSEMENT WILL BE CONTINGENT
UPON NEW GOZ STANDBY AGREEMENT WITH IMF.

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